July 16th, 1857:

"The commercial relations between the Zoll-Verein and Russia were discussed in the Prussian Chambers last year, and subsequently attracted much attention throughout the country; nevertheless, the new Russian tariff, which has been published so quickly and with so little noise, has rather surprised the German tradesmen.

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'The first effects of this modified tariff were felt at the recent fair at Frankfort-on-the-Oder. The transactions there were animated and satisfactory. The greater portion of the 100,000 quintals and mere of goods taken to the fair commanded a ready sale at very high prices. The business in cloth was of greater importance than for many years, and the supply was not equal to the demand. The very highest prices of the last Leipsic fair were easily obtained, and for many atticles even much higher rates were established. Large purchases were made for Russia and Poland. The supply of leather was quickly disposed of at high rates. The same was the case with skins of all kinds, but pettries, owing to the advanced season, were dull.

'Notwithstanding the impulse given by the Russian tariff, the German dealers do not appear satisfied. The duties on cloth, which are of so great importance, especially to the Prussian manufacturers, have been reduced. The reduction on iron is only triffing. It is only important on linen, cotton, and wine; but in equalizing the duty on the latter it inflicts an injury on the Austrian wine trade. The reform of the tariff, however, is considered as a proof of good will, but it is not a decisive change of the old system. There is no doubt the manufacturers of Russia, accustomed to protective duties, would have been disastisfied by large concessions to foreign commerce; but, on the other hand, a half measure is always hazardous. The commencement is at any rate an evidence that the present Emperor entertains views different from his predecessor, and gives a hope that other ameliorations may follow. In one respect the new tariff marks a great progress, Books in all languages and pictures can now enter free, being subject only to the usual censorship. This progress on the way to free trade is intimately connected with the railway projects, and the increazed facilities allowed to Russian subjects to travel in foreign countries the legal ter

Sugar-Making .- A great many letters are received the Patent Office asking how to manufacture sugar. For the purpose of relieving the department of the necessity of replying so frequently to this inquiry, we give a brie description of the mode practised by Mr. Hedges, of Phildelphia.
The mill of Mr. Hedges consists of three upright iron

rollers, with heavy-wrought shafts, set in strong cas rames above and below. The mill is worked by two horses, and the cane is fed through a simple contrivance which keeps it in position, so as to cover the whole service of the rollers. The mill acts twice, but requires no refeed-

plate and through several sieves, which strain out the fibrous substance, and is then, by a large funnel, conveyed into and through a metal pipe, under ground, past the horse to the clarifiers, which are set just above the boilers, all of which are on a plane some six or eight feet below the mill, in order to save pumping or bailing the juice. The juice is quite thick, and of a greenish, frothy onsistency before defecation. Heat is the general means employed to cleanse it.

The boilers, three in number, are in a range, and graduated in size according to the capacity of the mill. The first holds seventy gallous, the second forty, and the

third twenty-five.

The fire is applied a little in advance of the smallest boiler, and then passes successively under the others, and then under the clarifiers, which are shallow, heavy sheetiron pans, about 12 inches deep, 3 to 5 feet square, and holding 90 gallons. The heat is moderate under these, giving ample time for the peculenæ to coagulate and rise and when at about 140 to 180 degrees Fah, the dampers are changed and the heat turned off; the juice is drawn off from the bottom in the grand reservoir, leaving the scum to be removed for hog and cattle feed; the clarifier cleaned and refilled while the other (as there must be two is under way; and thus alternately you proceed. The not in this boiler to neutralize the acid, and juice is limed in this boiler to neutralize the acid, and boiled and skimmed until the next kettle is emptied. when this is passed into it; then on to the last, where th fire is still more active; and when sufficiently concentrated it is discharged into coolers made of clear pine, and after-

Sale of the Delaware Indian Trust Lands .- The Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs received vesterday morning from Norman Eddy, esq., the commissioner for the sale of the Delaware trust lands, a letter dated Leavenworth City, K. T., August 15, in which he announces ation of the sale on the 12th inst. Every \$587.337 35.

Swamp and Overflowed Lands .- The Commissioner of the General Land Office has transmitted to the governor of Florida a patent, No. 12, for lands inuring to said State under act of September 28, 1850, in the Tallahassee district, containing 103, 108, 95 acres.

Our Naval Forces in the East India and China Seas tack of the English on Flatshan Creek .- The Dutch Barque Henrietta Maria .- The Navy Department has received re cent advices from Commodore James Armstrong, com manding the United States naval forces stationed in the East India and China seas.

On Monday, the 1st of June, Admiral Seymour, with several steamers, gun-boats, launches, and the boats be longing to his squadron-a force amounting to more than twenty-five hundred seamen and marines-made an attack on the fort at Flatshan creek and a large numbe of junks which had collected at that point. After a severe engagement the fort surrendered, and between one and two hundred of the junks were destroyed. The loss of the English was nine killed and twenty-eight wounded. The loss of the Chinese is not known, but is estima

ted to have been quite large.

The Levant, one of the vessels of this squadron, went into dock at Shanghae on the 26th of May last, and was expected to leave that port for Foo-Chon on the 15th of

Commander Foote had gone in the Portsmouth to Bang Kok, Siam, with the United States consul to Mingpo, Mr. Bradley, who had arrived at Singapore, bearing with him the treaty between the United States and Siam. Mr. Bradley was to leave Bang Kok for Siam in a few days.

It will be recollected that the Dutch barque Henriett Maria, having been abandoned at sea by her officers and most of her men, was taken possession of by the master of an American ship, the Coeur de Lion, on the 28th of Feb ruary last. The vessel, when taken, was in a perilou condition, and at least one mutiny had taken place among the men of the vessel since she had left her last port. She was taken to Singapore for adjudication, which wa declined by the authorities. Upon this the barque, by consular authority, hoisted the American flag, which was forcibly hauled down by a British civil officer, while an armed boat's crew sent from the British frigate Spartan was lying alongside; after which the barque, being without a register, the conclusive proof of nationality, wa wrested from the salvors, and delivered to a Dutch man of-war, for the purpose of being taken to Batavia. By the common law of England the salvors have a right to retain possession of the goods saved until the proper com-

pensation is made to them. A correspondence between one of the officers of our naval forces and the governor of Singapore is cnclosed in the despatches received by the department. of American citizens, in the steps he felt it his duty to gentleman of Virginia.

take. Before the marine magistrate had completed his investigation an application had been received from the readent at Rhio on behalf of the government of Nether-lands India for the delivery to him of the barque at Batavia, where the claims of the salvors could be adjudica-ted in the courts of law of that place. The barque was accordingly given up on the ground that, the vessel being Dutch, the Chinese coolies found on board, if innocent of any mutiny, had a claim on the owners, and it guilty were punishable only by a Dutch criminal court.

The case has not been finally decided.

THE EXTREMISTS.

We wish that our fellow-citizens of the North, who are persuaded by the dechanations of presses and politicians, and perhaps by their own hasty impulses, that their own section of the Union is suffering oppression and injustice from southern aggressions, could know more of the real feeling at the South, and of the deep conviction which there prevails that it is to the southern portion of the Union that wrong and injury are done. Could they understand that their southern brethren are no less hon est than they in the belief of injustice committed, i might lead to sympathy in mutual distress, respect for each other's feelings, and regard, or at least toler

each other's opinions.

Extreme men in each section of the Union are now rushing asunder, and rushing out of the Union, because each side is fully persuaded of the hostility and oppression of the other. We have before us in the Charleston Men. cury an illustration of this feeling at the South. paper is always able, calm, and dignified, and yet it de spairs of the Union, and mourns over what it deems the wrong and injustice of the North, which defeat the realivarion of its intended benefits. For the information of our northern readers, and to show that the sense of in-justice is not all at the North, we copy from the Mercury the following glowing tribute to the Union, and eloquent eremiad over its supposed impending dissolution :

"We have never anticipated a dissolution of the Union 'as a thing lovely in itself." We are not so ignorant of the position of the United States in the world as not to understand its external grandeur, its prospective glory, its mighty example for good amongst the despotisms of the world. Give us the Union of the constitution is its plain simple truthliness with the rights and isms of the world. Give us the Union of the constitu-tion in its plain, simple truthfulness, with the rights and protection it would afford—just and equal in its taxation, and in its expenditure observing the limitations the con-stitution prescribes—letting us alone with our institu-tions, excepting to fulfil its plain duty in them—se-curing to us equality with our confederated States, in Washington, in our Territories—everywhere, as our rights and their obligations demand, and there is none in the broad expanse of the broad lands which stretch from ocean to ocean beneath the Union who will more de-voutedly pray and fight for its continuance. Such was the Union our fathers supposed they had bequeathed to us. Is this the Union which now prevails over the South?

"Turn to the North, and see the angry sectionalism which lifts its head in stern and deadly menace of our institutions. Listen to their pulpits proscribing us as unworthy of Christian fellowship and association. Read their papers poiring out bitterness and scorn upon our pretensions of equality with them. Look at the general government—cheated, stripped of a common participation in our Territories—plundered by tariffs and their expenditures—vilified, baited, bullied, degraded. We are no longer equals with the North. We are no longer one people. The people of the slave and free States are as distinct and separate people as exist on the globe. It is not possible, in our judgment, to keep them together under one government on terms of equality. One of them must be the master. The inevitable course of things proclaims that the mastery must be with the North. The "Turn to the North, and see the angry sectionalis must be the master. The inevitable course of things proclaims that the mustery must be with the North. The mastery of the North in the Union must be the ruin of the South. Not only every principle of liberty and of manhood, but the brute instinct of self-preservation, places before the South the stern alternative—reform the Union, or dissolve it.

"For ourselves, we have despaired of reforming it. For

Union, or dissolve it.

"For conredves, we have despaired of reforming it. For thirty years this paper has struggled to make its reformation consistent with the rights of the South. The constitution is now weaker, and sectionalism more potent and furious, than ever. The fate of the Union, in our judgment, is sealed. It must be dissolved. We bow to the necessity, and may mourn the catastrophe, but cannot prevent a certainty as inevitable as the rolling of the seasons. It is only a question of time. We have not done it. When impartial history comes to write its epitaph, it will say: 'Killed by the aggressive injustice of the North, and the ignoble submission of the South!' Although the injustice of the North did beat upon its proud barriers, they would never have fallen but for the base delinquency of the South in not using her power to protect her rights and enforce the constitution until it was too late—too late for the Union, but not too late, we trust, for her salvation. Upon which section of the Union will rest the deepest seorn of future generations it is not for us to anticipate."

Can our cotemporaries of the black-republican press

Can our cotemporaries of the black-republican preutter anything more tragic than this ? Do they entertain grief more sincere, indignation more profound and sorrowful, and can they pour forth lamentations more touching and eloquent ?

We are more hopeful than these lugubrious extremis We are not prepared to despair of the republic. We see in our nation the elements of youth and growth and vigorous manhood, and the generous and just attributes which will discard sectional oppres sions, yield to constitutional obligations, and obey the promptings of a noble patriotism.

We admit that the aggressive movements of black republicanism at the North naturally tend to produce a corresponding aggressive movement at the South, of the aracter recommended in the following extract from the Mercury :

"We are in favor of organizing a southern party in the "We are in favor of organizing a southern party in the South, to meet the anti-southern organizations against us in the North. Duty to ourselves, fidelity to the Union itself, if it can be saved, even with those who think that it can be saved, it appears to us, demands this policy. Sectionalism for aggression must be met by sectionalism for defence—united power must be opposed by united power, or the disorganized strength of the South must fail, and be frittered away in feeble regrets and ignoble murmurings or vain abortive efforts for redoes." murmurings, or vain, abortive efforts for redress.

In the place of these mutually hostile movements we yould substitute an organization on a different basisthat of mutual good will and a faithful discharge of our duties as citizens and members of this great confederace of States in the spirit of the constitution, leaving each lo callty and community to think and act in its domesti matters in its own way.

Such is the position of the democratic party of the Union, and while its conservative and moderate theory and action are condemned by sectionalists at both ex tremes of the Union, they command the assent of prudent and intelligent patriots, of the friends of stability and order, and the perpetuity of our republican institu tions all over the country.

To the Editor of the Union :

The official announcement in your paper of vesterday of the appointment of Dr. Jno. G. Downey, of Los Angeles California, to the collectorship of the port of San Pedro will be hailed by the democracy of that district with the liveliest satisfaction. Dr. Downey has lived in southern California ever since 1849. He has served in the senate of his State faithfully and efficiently, never giving a vote that was not democratic and conservative.

ACCIDENT TO THE HON. LINTON STEPHENS .- We are pai ACCIDENT TO THE HON. LINYON STPHENS.—We are pained to learn that this gentleman, while returning last week from the funeral of his sister, in Talbott county, to his home in Sparta, met with a most serious accident. Our informant states that he was travelling in the stage from Milledgeville, when it was overturned, and that one of his legs was broken and the knee-pan badly injured, and several bruises inflicted on his head. We sincerely hope that the accident may not prove as serious as at first supposed, and that he may soon recover.

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Philadelphia College of Medicine.—Wm. H. Go-brecht, M. D., has been appointed to the chair of anato-my in this institution. Dr. Gobrecht was formerly con-nected with the medical department of Pennsylvania Col-lege, and is well known as an excellent anatomist and ex-perienced lecturer.

closed in the despatches received by the department.

In his first letter Gov. Blundell earnestly disclaimed longing to Mr. Barbee, and which has been on exhibition any want of respect to the American flag, or to the rights in Baltimore for several weeks, has been purchased by a

LATER FROM TEXAS. By this arrival we have Galveston papers to the 13th

An extra from the office of the Galveston Civilian dated 13th, gives returns of the full vote for governand land office commissioner in forty-eight counties, and partial returns from twenty-two others seventy in partial returns from twenty-two others—seventy in all—which, by rough calculation, give Humels, for gov-ernor, about 4,500 majority, and White, for land-office commissioner, about 2,000. Full returns from the twenty-two counties only partially heard from, the Civilian says, will place Runnels about 5,000, and White about 2,200

The legislature will be overwhelmingly de So far as heard from, the state of parties is as follows senate, 27 democrats, 6 opposition; house, 57 democrats opposition, 2 independent.

The Galveston News of the 11th, referring to the elec-

In what has already been received Runnels leads Ho ton about 6,000 votes, and the balance of the State will doubtless increase his majority to nine or ten thousand at

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Frank Lubbock, lieutenant governor, runs ahead of his ticket pretty generally throughout the State.

White, for commissioner of land office, is running better in the castern and northern counties than was expect ad. He is some 2,000 yet ahead of Crosby, and stands a good chance of election.

Both branches of the legislature will be more strongly

democratic than ever before. There will not be more strongly democratic than ever before. There will not be more than fifteen or twenty Houston men in that body, and, of course, the champion of northernism in Texas will not be returned to the United States Senate.

Both of the democratic candidates for Congress are elected by very large majorities.

Among the senators elected we, with great pleasure notice our friend Capt. Forbes Britton, from the dis trict composed of the counties of Nueces, Webb, Refugio

The barque Culloma, from New York, arrived off Galesion bar on the 12th.

The Herald says that Galveston continues to enjoy un interrupted health. It adds :

We are blessed with an occasional shower of rain, bu

We are blessed with an occasional shower of rain, but not of sufficient duration to be of much benefit to the nu-merous herds of cattle on the island, numbers of which are daily dying for want of water. We were informed by a lady friend a few days ago that she had already lost from twenty to thirty head from this cause.

The Herald of the 11th says :

Capt. L. C. Harby has assumed command of the revenue cutter H. A. Dodge, now lying in this port. The captain is a gallant man and an old Texan. He was attached to the Texas navy, and commanded the Brutus during the revolution. He was also at the storming of the Alamo.

The Schenectady (N. Y.) Star says that James McKinney has been baggage-master on the milroad twenty years and four months, running between Albany and Utica. Eleven years of this time he ran seven days in the week. He remembers but one collision, and that laid him upjust eleven days, which is the greatest length of time he has been off the road since his connexion with it. Mr. McKinney is a traveller. During twenty years he has gone over no less than one million three hundred and thirteen thousand two hundred and eighty miles. He is the oldest baggage-master on the road, and bids fair to hold his place twenty years more.

The Chicago Journal says: "Capt. C. N. Cramer, of the schooner Walrus, one of C. D. Spaid's vessels, writes us that he made the run from Chicago to Grand River, a distance of 120 miles, in eight hours, on the 12th. He had the light sails set all the way. If any one can show anything that can beat that they are at perfect liberty to do so. We would like to have entered that vessel for the

The Iowa constitution has been adopted with the ex The Iowa constitution has been adopted with the exception of the clause, voted upon separately, for negro suffrage. This clause has been rejected by a sweeping vote. For instance, Scott county gave 322 majority for the constitution, but 1,245 against negro suffrage. Jasper county gives 400 majority for the constitution, but althe constitution, but 1,240 ogains negro suffrage. Jasper county gives 400 majority for the constitution, but almost unanimous against negro suffrage. And so it is throughout the State. This is an indication of western

There are some 5,000 strangers at Saratoga. About 600 arrived there on Saturday. The Saratoga Republican states that there has been a great falling off in the number of southern visitors at the springs this season, and attributes it to the narrow-mindedness of a certain class of black "philosophers" who are forever meddling with the business of their neighbors. A despatch from Chicago, dated the 20th, says: S. Bro

A despatch from chicago, dated the 20th, says: S. Bronson, jr., formerly cashier of the Merchants' and Mechanics' Bank, of this city, has been arrested at St. Paul, Minnesota, at the instance of the president of the bank, charged with the larceny of \$50,000 of the funds of the

A fight took place in Portsmouth, Virginia, Tuesday night, in which Mrs. Coleman, one of the combatants, was killed by a blow with a bottle. EAST TENNESSEE AND VIRGINIA RAILBOAD.—The Lyn-

burg Virginian understands that bonds of this company to the amount of \$100,000 were sold in that city last week, and that more could have been disposed of readily. A member of the Wayne County (N. Y.) Medical So-

ciety has been expelled for issuing hand-bills calling at-tention to his method of treating diseases of the lungs,

DIED,

On yesterday, at 6 o'clock, p. m., Mrs. CHARLOTTE DAVIS, wife tev. Charles A. Davis, chaplain United States navy, The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral on Sun day afternoon, at 4 o'clock, from the residence of CHARLES E. DAVE

TRUSTEES SALE

BY virtue of a decree of the circuit court of Montgomery county, as a court of equity, passed in the case of Gustavos Jones and others w. Thomas G. Plummer, the subscriber, a trustee, will offer at public sale, on the premises, the late residence of Wm. Plummer, deceased,

On Monday, the 7th day of September next, at the hour of 1 o'clock, p. m., the following real estate, of which said Wm. Plummer died seized and possessed, to wit:

The home farm is situated in Montgomery county, adjoining the farms of John Griffin and A. B. Davis, one mile from Unity, and about the same distance from Triadelphia Factory, convenient to mills, churches, and schools. The farm contains

350 ACRES OF LAND,

100 of which is in timber, 30 in madow, one-half well set in grass. It is in a good state of cultivation for corn, wheat, and tobacco. It has one and a half mile of sione fence: a never-failing pump in the yard also, a never-failing spring of running water in every field; two apple orchards, of summer and winter fruit.

The improvements consist of a two-story

FRAME DWELLING with atoms kitchen attached; stone barn, meat house, stone dairy, corn house and stabling with wagon shed attached.

Persons wishing to view the premises will call on Mr. Grafton Plummer, residing on the farm.

Also, at the same time and place, a farm situated in Howard county, stjoining Triadelphia Factory, convenient to mills, churches, and schools, with good outlet. This farm contains

TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY ACRES.

about 50 of which is in timber and 20 of meadow land. There is a never-fatling spring of running water in every field; apple orchard of winter and summer fruit.

The improvements are a confortable two-story frame dwelling house with a frame kitchen attached, frame barn, corn house, and meat house. ouse. ession will be given immediately to seed, and full possession or

Possession will be given immensitely to every marked and New Year's day.

Terms of sale: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in each on the day of sale, or the ratification thereof by the circuit court for Montgomery county; the restitue to be paid in equal instalments in one and two years from the day of sale, and the payment thereof to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser or purchasers, with a surety or sureties to be approved by the trustee, the bonds to bear interest from the day of sale.

If the above farms are not sold on the day advertised, they will be seen the sensiting examine year.

THOMAS N. HARWOOD, Trustee. Acoust 14, 1857. Aug 22—lawep&Stawts

Academy of the Visitation, Frederick City,

Maryland. THE exercises of this institution will recommend on the first Monday in September. TERMS OF BOARDERS.

Board and tuition with the French language (if desired) per annual of ten months. \$100 Stationery, washing, needing, bot, bedding, doctor's fee, &c. 19 Music on the plane, harp, and guilar forms an additional charge. Lessons in the Latin, German, Italian, and Spanish languages, drawing and painting, are likewise extra charges. Entrance fee \$8. Aug 22—law7 w?

American Gothic and Brass-Foil Roofing. INVENTED BY EUGENIO LATILLA, ARCHITECT, M. S. B. A. Ac. DESIGNS made for concrete churches, villas, cottages, and farm buildings. Office, Gothica, near Chappaqua, June 17—04. LOCAL NEWS

The Massachuserts Marrie used in the construction of the Capitol extensions is furnished to the government by Messrs. Rice, Baird, and Heebner, of Philadelphia. The contract stipulates on the part of the United States that all the blocks shall exceed eighteen inches bed, and, on the part of the contractors, that they shall not be required exceed one hundred and twenty cubic feet, net. company are also to furnish one hundred columns for the exterior porticoes of the extensions—as many monolithic or entire shafts as their quarry may prove capable of yielding; and the remainder to consist of two sections each, one of the sections being two-thirds the entire ngth of the shaft. The contractors deliver this marble on the grounds of the Capitol extensions in the rough, except the column shafts, which are to be scabbled round to dimensions, at the following rates: One dollar and ninety-eight cents per cubic foot, net, for the wall blocks, and fourteen hundred dollars each for the monolithic col-umn shafts, and cleven hundred dollars each for those devered in two pieces. This marble is quarried at Lee, Berkshire county, Massachusetts; is conveyed ninety miles by railroad to Bridgeport, Connecticut, and there shipped in coasting-vessels for this city.

THE BOTUNDO OF THE CAPITOL -It is said of the Dis trict of Columbia that it is national territory; of the City of Washington, that it is the federal metropolis; and of the Capitol, that it is the people's house, where the citizens of all parts of our vast republic can assemble, and be at home on common ground and under a common roof. But the rotundo of the Capitol may be said to be a centre within a centre, the exact social focus of the Union, the drawing-room of the nation, where the people of the North and the South, the East and the West, meet in social converse and national unity. Therefore, when the new dome, the magnificent roof of the rotundo, shall be completed, let its interior decorations be strictly national, descriptive of national scenery, illustrative of national history, and emblematical of national character.

MARBLE FOR THE POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.—The parque Emily Taylor, Capt. Taylor, of New Bedford, Massichusetts, was lying at Gibson's wharf, Baltimore, yesterday, having arrived a few days since from Genoa. She is discharging her cargo, which consists of the finest marble. Among the cargo are twenty columns, each twenty feet long and two and a half feet in diameter, weighing fifteen tons, designed for the Post Office Department at Washington. The remainder of the cargo consists of blocks of from three to ten tons each.

The Carry Bearing of the present Capital was com pleted in 1825, under the superintendence of Architect Bullinch, at a cest, including the grounds and their improvements, of about \$3,000,000. The present Capitol grounds contain thirty-five acres. The entire length of he Capitol is 750 feet, being about fifty feet more than the longest projection of St. Peter's Church, and nearly 200 feet more than that of St. Paul's. The Capitol covers an area of over three and a half acres.

SATE OF THE STEAMER GEORGE WASHINGTON .- The Alexandria Sentinel states that the steamer George Wash. ington, which has been plying between this Alexandria for several years past, has been sold to a com-pany in New York for \$14,000, and that the captain and crew are now on board of her, making preparations to depart, at an early day, for her destination n river. The Washington is a very swift and pleasant boat, but we learn that her hull and boiler are much out of order, and will require to be replaced with new ones before being put on her new route

YESTERDAY MORNING the first of the long pilasters of the cond story of the south wing of the Treasury extension was successfully raised to its position. It required a hoisting apparatus of great power. The block of granite s thirty-two feet five inches in length, and weighs about twenty-eight tons. A large number of gentlemen were attracted to the corner of F and Fifteenth streets to witess the operation.

for the purpose of undergoing thorough repairs, will again commence making regular trips on Monday next.

The repairing which is being done to the Mount Vernon will not be completed before the 1st of September. This boat, it is thought, when placed in running orde will be equal to a new one.

THE GRONGE PAGE, which has been taken off her route

THE ALMSHOUSE.-Proposals for the construction of the new almshouse will be received until 12 o'clock to-day, collows : 1st, for the brick and stone work, payement and excavations; 2d, for carpenters' work; 3d, for iron work; 4th, for plastering; 5th, for tin work; and 6th, for painting and glazing. Bids for the whole will also be received and considered.

Two Stoors arrived yesterday morning from Blakistone's island, bringing one thousand bunches of trout, perch, and rock fish. These fish were purchased by Mr. skidmore for the Washington market.

TO ECENT DISCOVERIES IN GEOLOGY: by Sir Metropolitan and Town on, 1857. 37 cents. Metropolitan and Town Swage, Drainage, Sewerage, and Water Supply; by A. Sayer, M. D. London, 1857. 37 conts. Vega's Logarithmic Tables, London, 1857. 22 75. Bana's Orthographic Projection and Mechanical and Engineering rega's Logarithmic Tables, Lo Binn's Orthographic Projection Drawing, London, 1857. \$3 50.

Drawing, London, 1857. \$3 50.
Gayald's Dictionary of Synonymies and Paronymics of the English
Language, London, 1857. 50 cents.
Whist at the Portland Club, London, 1857. \$1.
Vertot's Revolutions of Sweden, literally translated for the use of candidates for commissions, London, 1857. 75 cents.
Francis's Opinions and Policy of Lord Palmerston for forty years, 1
volume, London. \$2 57.
Reminiscences of Causin Conferences of Causin Conferenc Captain Crawford, royal navy, 1 volume, London.

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July 24—tf

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BY TELEGRAPH.

Later from the Plains. Sr. Louis, Aug. 21 .- A letter to the Rep For Kearney, dated the 5th inst, says that the 19th infantry and Phelps's battery had strived there. Captain Van Vliet had gone in advance on important business. The froops were much dissatisfied, and the 5th and 19th regiments had lost nearly 590 by descriton.

New York, Aug. 21.—The steamers Moses Taylor and Splendid, both lying at the Cunard dock, Jersey City, belonging to the Delaware and Luckawana Raliroad Con pany, and was insured for thirteen thousand dollars. The Splendid belonged to G. J. Scott, and was insured for \$10,000. Mr. Scott's son was aboard at the time of the disaster, and it is feared perished. The Cunard steamer Arabia was at one time in imminent danger.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, (Pa.,) Aug. 21.-McKim, the murdered of Norcross, was executed to-day at half-past twelve He died protesting his innocence, and spoke two hours from the scaffold. He attempted suicide before being taken from his cell this morning.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The United States despatch

Bosros, Aug. 21.—Messrs. Edmund C. Bates & Cohave suspended payment. Their liabilities amount t \$500,000. The cause is said to be speculations in su

Death of a Newspaper Proprietor.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 20.—John H. Strauss, one of the proprietors of the Daily Commercial of this city, died suddenly to-day.

Death of a Celebrated Auctioned New Obleans, Aug. 20.—Major Beard, the celebrate auctioneer, died here to-day.

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MICH. NOURSE, Agent, No. 461 13th stree June 13-d1v

Mayor's Office, Washington, August 12, 1857 DROPOSALS will be received at this office unti PROPOSALS will be received at this office until Saturday, the 22d instant, at 12 o'clock, m., for the erection of an almshouse in this city upon the site of the old one, according to the plans, drawings, and specifications adopted by the corporation; the drawings by Charles Haskins, eag., and to be seen in his office, and copies of the specifications may be obtained at this office, and copies of the specifications may be obtained at this office, see proposals for each description of work, viz: 1st, for the brick and stone work, pavements, and excavations; 2d, for carpenter's work; 3d, for iron work; 4th, for plastering; 5th, for the work; and, 6th, for painting and glazing. Bids for the whole will also be received and considered.

As the contractor will be required to give security to the amount of one-fifth of bis whole bid for the protopt and faithful performance of the contract, each bid must be accompanied by the names of at least two sureties, with their written expression of willingness to assume the obligation.

W. B. MaGRUDER, Aug 14—4d

Mayor.

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Aug 19—d2wif C. E. RITTENHOUSE.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED properly at the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Ninetecania atreet.—On Tuesday afternoon, August 25, at 6 o'clock, on the premises, by virtue of a deed of trust, dated 22:1 November, 1854, and recorded in Liber J. A. S., No. 89, folies 376, et seq., one of the land records in Liber J. A. S., No. 89, folies 376, et seq., one of the land records for Washington county, the subscriber will sell at public auction, to the highest kidder, the following described property, viz: Regiming at the intersection of Pennsylvania avenue and 19th street, and running thence westwardly along the line of said avenue to the centre of the wall which divides the easternmost house of the said row, commencing from the east end thereof, thence northwardly along the centre of the said dividing will, the yard wall, and along the west line of the said alies to said 16th street; thence castwardly along the line of the said alies to said 16th street; thence southwardly along the line of said 19th street to the place of beginning, with the improvements, consisting of an excellent three-story brick dwelling-house, with brick stables, &c. Terms made known at saic.

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